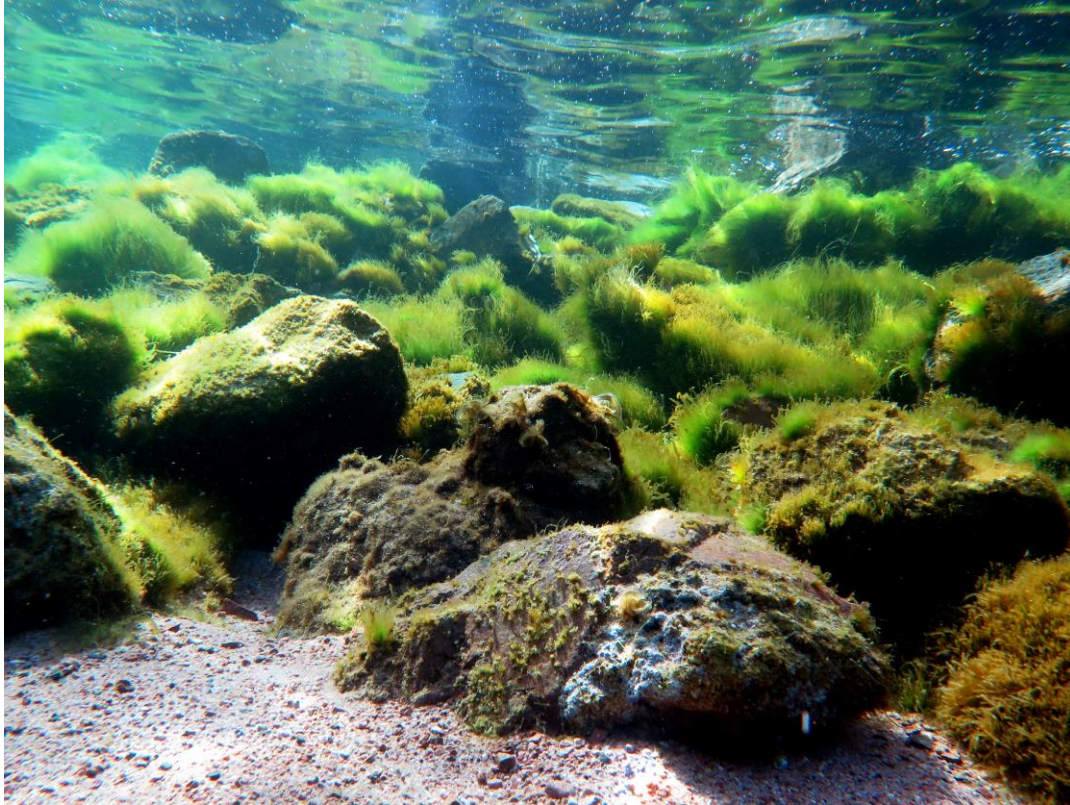


## Marine Algae Facts



- Marine algae are aquatic organisms that use photosynthesis to produce energy.
- Algae creates most of the oxygen needed for underwater organisms.
- Types of algae are classified based on color, such as red, brown and green.
- Aquatic organisms use algae for food, protection and shelter.
- Coral have a mutually beneficial relationship with a particular type of algae known as Zooxanthellae. Corals provide algae with shelter, while algae produce nutrients which is then passed on to corals.



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## Marine Algae Coloring Sheet

